

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re Application of: Mohammed N. Islam
Appln. Serial No.: 10/627,572
Date Filed: July 25, 2003
Art Unit: 3663
Examiner: Deandra M. Hughes
Confirmation No.: 5239
Title: Nonlinear Polarization Amplifiers In Nonzero Dispersion
Shifted Bar

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313.1450

Dear Sir:

Response to Office Action pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2004, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the Application as follows: